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AMENDMENTS TO LB 663

Introduced by Cudaback, 36

- 1 1. Strike the original sections and all amendments
- 2 thereto and insert the following new sections:
- 3 Section 1. Section 60-101, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 4 2005, is amended to read:
- 5 60-101 Sections 60-101 to 60-197 <u>and sections 6 to 11 and</u>
- 6 18 of this act shall be known and may be cited as the Motor Vehicle
- 7 Certificate of Title Act.
- 8 Sec. 2. Section 60-117, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 9 2005, is amended to read:
- 10 60-117 Historical vehicle means a motor vehicle or
- 11 trailer of any age which is essentially unaltered from the original
- 12 manufacturer's specifications and, because of its significance, is
- 13 being collected, preserved, restored, or maintained by a hobbyist
- 14 collector as a leisure pursuit. This category includes vehicles
- 15 sometimes referred to by the classifications of antique, horseless
- 16 carriage, classic, or action era.
- 17 Sec. 3. Section 60-139, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 18 2005, is amended to read:
- 19 60-139 Except as provided in section 60-137 or 60-138 or
- 20 section 6 of this act, no person shall sell or otherwise dispose of
- 21 a vehicle without (1) delivering to the purchaser or transferee of
- 22 such vehicle a certificate of title with such assignments thereon
- 23 as may be necessary to show title in the purchaser and (2) having

1 affixed to the vehicle its vehicle identification number if it

- 2 is not already affixed. No person shall bring into this state a
- 3 vehicle for which a certificate of title is required in Nebraska,
- 4 except for temporary use, without complying with the Motor Vehicle
- 5 Certificate of Title Act.
- 6 No purchaser or transferee shall receive a certificate of
- 7 title which does not contain such assignments as may be necessary
- 8 to show title in the purchaser or transferee. Possession of a
- 9 certificate of title which does not meet this requirement shall
- 10 be prima facie evidence of a violation of this section, and such
- 11 purchaser or transferee, upon conviction, shall be subject to the
- 12 penalty provided by section 60-180.
- 13 Sec. 4. Section 60-140, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 14 2005, is amended to read:
- 15 60-140 Except as provided in section 60-164, no person
- 16 acquiring a vehicle from the owner thereof, whether such owner
- 17 is a manufacturer, importer, dealer, or otherwise, shall acquire
- 18 any right, title, claim, or interest in or to such vehicle until
- 19 the acquiring person has had delivered to him or her physical
- 20 possession of such vehicle and (1) a certificate of title τ or a
- 21 duly executed manufacturer's or importer's certificate with such
- 22 assignments as may be necessary to show title in the purchaser,
- 23 or (2) an instrument in writing required by section 60-1417, or
- 24 (3) an affidavit and notarized bill of sale as provided in section
- 25 6 of this act. No waiver or estoppel shall operate in favor of
- 26 such person against a person having physical possession of such
- 27 vehicle and such certificate of title, manufacturer's or importer's

1 certificate, or instrument in writing required by section 60-1417

- 2 documentation. No court in any case at law or in equity shall
- 3 recognize the right, title, claim, or interest of any person in or
- 4 to a vehicle, for which a certificate of title has been issued in
- 5 Nebraska, sold, disposed of, mortgaged, or encumbered, unless there
- 6 is compliance with this section.
- 7 Sec. 5. Section 60-142, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 8 2005, is amended to read:
- 9 60-142 (1) A collector who has assembled a vehicle
- 10 meeting the specifications of a historical vehicle from parts
- 11 obtained from a variety of different sources and at various
- 12 different times shall be issued a historical vehicle title upon
- 13 furnishing a bill or bills of sale for the major component parts,
- 14 and in cases when that evidence by itself is deemed inadequate, by
- 15 executing an affidavit in verification. To be considered adequate,
- 16 the bills of sale shall be notarized, shall indicate the source
- 17 of the major component part, and shall list the identification or
- 18 serial numbers of each.
- 19 (2) The sale or trade and subsequent legal transfer of
- 20 ownership of a historical vehicle or parts vehicle shall not be
- 21 contingent upon any condition that would require the historical
- 22 vehicle or parts vehicle to be in operating condition at the time
- 23 of the sale or transfer of ownership.
- 24 Sec. 6. If the owner does not have a certificate of
- 25 title for a vehicle which was manufactured prior to 1940 and which
- 26 has not had any major component part replaced, the department
- 27 shall search its records for evidence of issuance of a Nebraska

1 certificate of title for such vehicle at the request of the owner. 2 If no certificate of title has been issued for such vehicle in 3 the thirty-year period prior to application, the owner may transfer 4 title to the vehicle by giving the transferee a notarized bill 5 of sale, an affidavit in support of the application for title, a 6 statement that an inspection has been conducted on the vehicle, 7 and a statement from the department that no certificate of title 8 has been issued for such vehicle in the thirty-year period prior 9 to application. The transferee may apply for a certificate of 10 title pursuant to section 60-149 by presenting the documentation 11 described in this section in lieu of a certificate of title. 12 Sec. 7. If the owner does not have a certificate of title 13 for a vehicle originally manufactured more than thirty years prior 14 to application for a certificate of title and one or more major 15 component parts have been replaced with one or more replacement parts that are essentially the same in design and material to 16 17 that originally supplied by the manufacturer for the specific year, make, and model of the vehicle, the owner may apply for a 18 19 certificate of title indicating that the year, make, and model of 20 the vehicle is that originally designated by the manufacturer by 21 presenting a notarized bill of sale for each major component part 22 replaced, an affidavit in support of the application for title, a 23 statement that an inspection has been conducted on the vehicle, 24 a statement from a car club representative pursuant to section 8 25 of this act, and a vehicle identification number as described in 26 section 60-148.

27 Sec. 8. (1) For purposes of this section, car club

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AM1816 MMM-12/16/2005 MMM-12/16/2005 1 means an organization that has members with expertise in authentic 2 vehicles and that has members with expertise in the restoration 3 and preservation of specific makes and models of vehicles using 4 replacement parts that are essentially the same in design and 5 material to that originally supplied by the manufacturer for a 6 specific year, make, and model of vehicle. 7 (2) To become a recognized car club, a car club shall 8 apply to the department. For a car club to become recognized, it 9 must be a nonprofit organization with established bylaws and at 10 least twenty members. The applicant shall provide a copy of the 11 bylaws and a membership list to the department. The department 12 shall determine if a car club qualifies as a recognized car club. 13 (3) A member of a recognized car club may apply to 14 the department to become a qualified car club representative. 15 Each qualified car club representative shall be designated by

16 the president or director of the local chapter of the recognized 17 car club of which he or she is a member. The department may 18 identify and maintain a list of qualified car club representatives. 19 A qualified car club representative may apply to be placed on 20 the list of qualified car club representatives by providing the 21 department with his or her name, address, and telephone number, the 22 name, address, and telephone number of the recognized car club he 23 or she represents, a copy of the designation of the representative by the president or director of the local chapter of the recognized 24 25 car club, and such other information as required by the department. 26 The department shall place a qualified car club representative on 27 the list upon receipt of a complete application and shall provide AM1816 LB 663 MMM-12/16/2005 AM1816 LB 663 MMM-12/16/2005

1 each representative with information for inspection of vehicles and

2 parts. The department shall distribute the list to county clerks

3 and designated county officials.

4 (4) When a qualified car club representative inspects 5 vehicles and replacement parts, he or she shall determine whether 6 all major component parts used in the assembly of a vehicle are 7 original or essentially the same in design and material to that 8 originally supplied by the manufacturer for the specific year, 9 make, and model of vehicle, including the appropriate engine, body 10 material, body shape, and other requirements as prescribed by the 11 department. After such inspection, the representative shall provide 12 the owner with a statement which includes the findings of the 13 inspection in the form prescribed by the department. No qualified 14 car club representative may charge any fee for the inspection or 15 the statement. No qualified car club representative may provide a statement for any vehicle owned by such representative or any 16 17 member of his or her immediate family.

18 (5) The director may summarily remove a person from the 19 list of qualified car club representatives upon written notice and 20 for good cause shown. Such person may reapply for inclusion on the 21 list upon presentation of suitable evidence satisfying the director 22 that the cause for removal from the list has been corrected, 23 eliminated, no longer exists, or will not affect or interfere with 24 the person's judgment or qualifications for inspection of vehicles 25 to determine whether or not any replacement parts are essentially 26 the same in design and material to that originally supplied by the 27 original manufacturer for the specific year, make, and model of

1 vehicle.

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2 (6) The department may adopt and promulgate rules and 3 regulations to carry out this section. 4 Sec. 9. The owner of (1) an assembled vehicle or (2) 5 a vehicle which was manufactured or assembled more than thirty 6 years prior to application for a certificate of title with one 7 or more major component parts replaced by replacement parts, other 8 than replacement parts that are essentially the same in design 9 and material to that originally supplied by the manufacturer for 10 the specific year, make, and model of vehicle, may apply for a 11 certificate of title by presenting a certificate of title for 12 one major component part, a notarized bill of sale for all other 13 major component parts replaced, a statement that an inspection has 14 been conducted on the vehicle, and a vehicle identification number 15 as described in section 60-148. The certificate of title shall 16 indicate the year of the vehicle as the year application for title 17 was made and the make of the vehicle as assembled. Sec. 10. The owner of a kit vehicle may apply for 18 19 a certificate of title by presenting a manufacturer's statement of origin for the kit, a notarized bill of sale for all major 20 21 component parts not in the kit, a statement that an inspection has 22 been conducted on the vehicle, and a vehicle identification number as described in section 60-148. The certificate of title shall 23 24 indicate the year of the vehicle as the year application for title 25 was made and the make of the vehicle as assembled.

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been issued a certificate of title as an assembled vehicle in

Sec. 11. An owner of a vehicle which has previously

this state may have the vehicle inspected by a qualified car 1 2 club representative for a determination of whether or not any 3 modifications or replacement parts are essentially the same in 4 design and material to that originally supplied by the manufacturer 5 for the specific year, make, and model of vehicle and obtain a 6 statement as provided in section 8 of this act. The owner may 7 apply for a certificate of title indicating the year, make, and 8 model of the vehicle by presenting the statement and an application 9 for certificate of title to the department. After review of the 10 application, the department shall issue the certificate of title 11 to the owner if the vehicle meets the specifications provided in 12 section 7 of this act. Sec. 12. Section 60-143, Revised Statutes Supplement, 13 14 2005, is amended to read: 15 60-143 Vehicles with modifications or deviations An 16 owner of a vehicle with a modification or deviation from the 17 original specifications may be permitted under the classification 18 of historical vehicle if such modifications or deviations are to apply for a certificate of title under sections 6 to 8 of this 19 20 act if such modification or deviation is of historic nature and 21 characteristic of the approximate era to which the vehicle belongs 22 essentially the same in design and material to that originally supplied by the manufacturer for vehicles of that era or if they 23 the modification or deviation could be considered to be in the 24 25 category of safety features. Safety-related modifications include 26 hydraulic brakes, sealed-beam headlights, and occupant protection

systems as defined in section 60-6,265. Accessories acceptable

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1 under such classification are A modification or deviation involving

- 2 <u>accessories shall be limited to those accessories</u> available in the
- 3 era to which the vehicle belongs.
- 4 Sec. 13. Section 60-144, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 5 2005, is amended to read:
- 6 60-144 (1)(a) Except as provided in subdivisions (b)_
- 7 and (c), and (d) of this subsection, the county clerk or
- 8 designated county official shall be responsible for issuing and
- 9 filing certificates of title for vehicles, and each county shall
- 10 issue and file such certificates of title using the vehicle titling
- 11 and registration computer system prescribed by the department.
- 12 Application for a certificate of title shall be made upon a form
- 13 prescribed by the department. All applications shall be accompanied
- 14 by the appropriate fee or fees.
- 15 (b) The department shall issue and file certificates
- 16 of title for Nebraska-based fleet vehicles. Application for a
- 17 certificate of title shall be made upon a form prescribed by
- 18 the department. All applications shall be accompanied by the
- 19 appropriate fee or fees.
- 20 (c) The department shall issue and file certificates of
- 21 title for state-owned vehicles. Application for a certificate of
- 22 title shall be made upon a form prescribed by the department. All
- 23 applications shall be accompanied by the appropriate fee or fees.
- 24 (d) The department shall issue certificates of title
- 25 pursuant to section 11 of this act. Application for a certificate
- 26 of title shall be made upon a form prescribed by the department.
- 27 All applications shall be accompanied by the appropriate fee or

- 1 fees.
- 2 (2) If the owner of an all-terrain vehicle or a minibike
- 3 resides in Nebraska, the application shall be filed with the county
- 4 clerk or designated county official of the county in which the
- 5 owner resides.
- 6 (3) If a vehicle, other than an all-terrain vehicle or
- 7 a minibike, has situs in Nebraska, the application shall be filed
- 8 with the county clerk or designated county official of the county
- 9 in which the vehicle has situs.
- 10 (4) If the owner of a vehicle is a nonresident, the
- 11 application shall be filed in the county in which the transaction
- 12 is consummated.
- 13 (5) The application shall be filed within thirty days
- 14 after the delivery of the vehicle.
- 15 (6) All applicants registering a vehicle pursuant
- 16 to section $\frac{60-356}{60-3,198}$ shall file the application for a
- 17 certificate of title with the Division of Motor Carrier Services
- 18 of the department. The division shall deliver the certificate to
- 19 the applicant if there are no liens on the vehicle. If there are
- 20 any liens on the vehicle, the division shall deliver or mail the
- 21 certificate of title to the holder of the first lien on the day of
- 22 issuance. All certificates of title issued by the division shall be
- 23 issued in the manner prescribed for the county clerk or designated
- 24 county official in section 60-152.
- 25 Sec. 14. Section 60-148, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 26 2005, is amended to read:
- 27 60-148 (1) Whenever a person applies for a certificate

of title for a vehicle, the county clerk or designated county 1 2 official, subject to the approval of the department, shall assign 3 a distinguishing identification number to the vehicle whenever such 4 if the vehicle identification number is destroyed, obliterated, 5 or missing. The owner of such a vehicle to which such number is assigned shall have such number affixed to such vehicle in a manner 6 7 prescribed by the department as provided in subsection (2) of this 8 section and sign an affidavit on a form prepared by the department 9 that such number has been attached. Before the certificate of title 10 for an assigned number is released to the applicant by the county clerk or designated county official, the applicant must shall also 11 12 provide a statement that an identification inspection has been 13 conducted. pursuant to section 60-146. 14 (2) The department shall develop a metallic assigned 15 vehicle identification number plate which can be permanently 16 secured to a vehicle by rivets or a permanent sticker or 17 other form of marking or identifying the vehicle with the 18 distinguishing identification number as determined by the director. 19 All distinguishing identification number plates numbers shall display contain seventeen characters in conformance with national 20 standards. When the manufacturer's vehicle identification number 21 22 is known, it shall be used by the department as the assigned 23 number. In the case of an assembled all-terrain vehicle or 24 minibike or assembled vehicle, the department shall use a 25 distinguishing identification number. The number shall include 26 seventeen positions, the last two being "NE". The department 27 shall, at the request of the county clerk or designated county

1 official upon application by an owner, provide the county clerk or

- 2 designated county official owner with a number plate or a permanent
- 3 sticker or other form of marking or identification displaying a
- 4 distinguishing identification number or the manufacturer's number.
- 5 provided by the county clerk or designated county official.
- 6 (3) Any vehicle to which a distinguishing identification
- 7 number is assigned shall be titled under such distinguishing
- 8 identification number when titling of the vehicle is required under
- 9 the Motor Vehicle Certificate of Title Act.
- 10 Sec. 15. Section 60-149, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 11 2005, is amended to read:
- 12 60-149 + (1)(a) If a certificate of title has
- 13 previously been issued for a vehicle in this state, the application
- 14 for a new certificate of title shall be accompanied by the
- 15 certificate of title duly assigned except as otherwise provided in
- 16 the Motor Vehicle Certificate of Title Act.
- 17 (b) If a certificate of title has not previously been
- 18 issued for the vehicle in this state or if a certificate of title
- 19 is unavailable pursuant to subsection (4) of section 52-1801, the
- 20 application shall be accompanied by:
- 21 (i) A a manufacturer's or importer's certificate; a
- 22 <u>(ii)</u> A duly certified copy thereof; an
- 23 <u>(iii) An affidavit by the owner affirming ownership in</u>
- 24 the case of an all-terrain vehicle or a minibike; a
- 25 (iv) A certificate of title from another state; or a
- 26 (v) A court order issued by a court of record, a
- 27 manufacturer's certificate of origin, or an assigned registration

1 certificate, if the law of the state from which the vehicle was

- 2 brought into this state does not have a certificate of title law;
- 3 or
- 4 (vi) Documentation prescribed in section 6, 7, 9, or 10
- 5 of this act.
- 6 (c) If the application for a certificate of title in this
- 7 state is accompanied by a valid certificate of title issued by
- 8 another state which meets that state's requirements for transfer
- 9 of ownership, then the application may be accepted by this state.
- 10 If the vehicle is a specially constructed vehicle, the application
- 11 shall be accompanied by a kit manufacturer's certificate of origin
- 12 and a bill of sale or manufacturer's certificates of origin and
- 13 bills of sale for all major component parts.
- 14 (d) If a certificate of title has not previously been
- 15 issued for the vehicle in this state and the applicant is unable
- 16 to provide such documentation, the applicant may apply for a bonded
- 17 certificate of title as prescribed in section 60-167.
- 18 (2) For purposes of this section, certificate of title
- 19 includes a salvage certificate, a salvage branded certificate of
- 20 title, or any other document of ownership issued by another state
- 21 or jurisdiction for a salvage vehicle. Only a salvage branded
- 22 certificate of title shall be issued to any vehicle conveyed upon a
- 23 salvage certificate, a salvage branded certificate of title, or any
- 24 other document of ownership issued by another state or jurisdiction
- 25 for a salvage vehicle.
- 26 (3) The county clerk or designated county official shall
- 27 retain the evidence of title presented by the applicant and on

- 1 which the certificate of title is issued.
- 2 Sec. 16. Section 60-154, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 3 2005, is amended to read:
- 4 60-154 (1)(a) For each original certificate of title
- 5 issued by a county for a motor vehicle or trailer, the fee shall
- 6 be ten dollars. Three dollars and twenty-five cents shall be
- 7 retained by the county. Four dollars shall be remitted to the
- 8 State Treasurer for credit to the Department of Motor Vehicles Cash
- 9 Fund. Two dollars shall be remitted to the State Treasurer for
- 10 credit to the General Fund. Seventy-five cents shall be remitted
- 11 to the State Treasurer for credit as follows: Twenty cents to a
- 12 fund to be administered by the Consumer Protection Division of the
- 13 Department of Justice at the direction of the Attorney General for
- 14 the purposes of the investigation and prosecution of odometer and
- 15 motor vehicle fraud and motor vehicle licensing violations which
- 16 may be referred by the Nebraska Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing
- 17 Board; forty-five cents to the Nebraska State Patrol Cash Fund; and
- 18 ten cents to the Nebraska Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Fund
- 19 for the purpose of conducting preliminary investigations of motor
- 20 vehicle licensing violations relating to odometer and motor vehicle
- 21 fraud.
- 22 (b) For each original certificate of title issued by a
- 23 county for an all-terrain vehicle or a minibike, the fee shall
- 24 be ten dollars. Three dollars and twenty-five cents shall be
- 25 retained by the county. Four dollars shall be remitted to the
- 26 State Treasurer for credit to the Department of Motor Vehicles Cash
- 27 Fund. Two dollars shall be remitted to the State Treasurer for

1 credit to the General Fund. Seventy-five cents shall be remitted

- 2 to the State Treasurer for credit as follows: Twenty cents to a
- 3 fund to be administered by the Consumer Protection Division of
- 4 the Department of Justice at the direction of the Attorney General
- 5 for the purposes of the investigation and prosecution of fraud and
- 6 theft of all-terrain vehicles and minibikes; and fifty-five cents
- 7 to the Nebraska State Patrol Cash Fund.
- 8 (2) For each original certificate of title issued by the
- 9 department for a vehicle except as provided in section 18 of this
- 10 act, the fee shall be ten dollars, which shall be remitted to the
- 11 State Treasurer for credit to the Motor Carrier Division Cash Fund.
- 12 Sec. 17. Section 60-159, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 13 2005, is amended to read:
- 14 60-159 For each application for a metallic assigned
- 15 vehicle identification number plate or other form of marking
- 16 or identification under section 60-148, the fee shall be twenty
- 17 dollars, which shall be remitted to the State Treasurer for credit
- 18 to the Department of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund.
- 19 Sec. 18. For each certificate of title issued by the
- 20 department under section 11 of this act, the fee shall be
- 21 twenty-five dollars, which shall be remitted to the State Treasurer
- 22 for credit to the Department of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund.
- 23 Sec. 19. Section 60-301, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 24 2005, is amended to read:
- 25 60-301 Sections 60-301 to 60-3,220 and sections 24 to 30
- 26 of this act shall be known and may be cited as the Motor Vehicle
- 27 Registration Act.

1 Sec. 20. Section 60-333, Revised Statutes Supplement,

- 2 2005, is amended to read:
- 3 60-333 Historical vehicle means a motor vehicle or
- 4 trailer of any age which is essentially unaltered from the original
- 5 manufacturer's specifications and, because of its significance, is
- 6 being collected, preserved, restored, or maintained by a collector
- 7 as a leisure pursuit. and includes motor vehicles or trailers
- 8 sometimes referred to by the classifications of antique, horseless
- 9 carriage, classic, or action era.
- 10 Sec. 21. Section 60-362, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 11 2005, is amended to read:
- 12 60-362 Unless otherwise expressly provided, no motor 13 vehicle shall be operated or parked and no trailer shall be towed 14 or parked on the highways of this state unless the motor vehicle 15 or trailer is registered in accordance with the Motor Vehicle 16 Registration Act. There shall be a rebuttable presumption that any 17 motor vehicle or trailer stored and kept more than thirty days in the state is being operated, parked, or towed on the highways of 18 19 this state, and such motor vehicle or trailer shall be registered 20 in accordance with the act, from the date of title of the motor 21 vehicle or trailer or, if no transfer in ownership of the motor 22 vehicle or trailer has occurred, from the expiration of the last 23 registration period for which the motor vehicle or trailer was registered. No motor vehicle or trailer shall be eligible for 24 25 initial registration in this state, except a motor vehicle or 26 trailer registered or eligible to be registered as part of a fleet 27 of apportionable vehicles under section 60-3,198, unless Chapter

- 1 60, article 1, the Motor Vehicle Certificate of Title Act has been
- 2 complied with insofar as the motor vehicle or trailer is concerned.
- 3 Sec. 22. Section 60-3,104, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 4 2005, is amended to read:
- 5 60-3,104 The department shall issue the following types
- 6 of license plates:
- 7 (1) Amateur radio station license plates issued pursuant
- 8 to section 60-3,126;
- 9 (2) Boat dealer license plates issued pursuant to section
- 10 60-379;
- 11 (3) Bus license plates issued pursuant to section
- 12 60-3,144;
- 13 (4) Commercial truck and truck-tractor license plates
- 14 issued pursuant to section 60-3,147;
- 15 (5) Dealer or manufacturer license plates issued pursuant
- 16 to sections 60-3,114 and 60-3,115;
- 17 (6) Disabled veteran license plates issued pursuant to
- 18 section 60-3,124;
- 19 (7) Farm trailer license plates issued pursuant to
- 20 section 60-3,151;
- 21 (8) Farm truck license plates issued pursuant to section
- 22 60-3,146;
- 23 (9) Farm trucks with a gross weight of over sixteen tons
- 24 license plates issued pursuant to section 60-3,146;
- 25 (10) Fertilizer trailer license plates issued pursuant to
- 26 section 60-3,151;
- 27 (11) Film vehicle license plates issued pursuant to

- 1 section 60-383;
- 2 (12) Fleets of apportionable commercial vehicles license
- 3 plates issued pursuant to section 60-3,203;
- 4 (13) Handicapped or disabled person license plates issued
- 5 pursuant to section 60-3,113;
- 6 (14) Historical vehicle license plates issued pursuant to
- 7 sections 60-3,130 to 60-3,134 and sections 24 to 30 of this act;
- 8 (15) Local truck license plates issued pursuant to
- 9 section 60-3,145;
- 10 (16) Motor vehicle license plates for motor vehicles
- 11 owned or operated by the state, counties, municipalities, or school
- 12 districts issued pursuant to section 60-3,105;
- 13 (17) Motor vehicles exempt pursuant to section 60-3,107;
- 14 (18) Motorcycle license plates issued pursuant to section
- 15 60-3,100;
- 16 (19) Nebraska Cornhusker Spirit Plates issued pursuant to
- 17 sections 60-3,127 to 60-3,129;
- 18 (20) Nonresident owner thirty-day license plates issued
- 19 pursuant to section 60-382;
- 20 (21) Passenger car having a seating capacity of ten
- 21 persons or less and not used for hire issued pursuant to section
- 22 60-3,100;
- 23 (22) Passenger car having a seating capacity of ten
- 24 persons or less and used for hire issued pursuant to section
- 25 60-3,100;
- 26 (23) Pearl Harbor license plates issued pursuant to
- 27 section 60-3,122;

1 (24) Personal-use dealer license plates issued pursuant

- 2 to section 60-3,116;
- 3 (25) Personalized message license plates for motor
- 4 vehicles and cabin trailers, except commercial trucks registered
- 5 for over ten tons gross weight, issued pursuant to sections
- 6 60-3,118 to 60-3,121;
- 7 (26) Prisoner-of-war license plates issued pursuant to
- 8 section 60-3,123;
- 9 (27) Purple Heart license plates issued pursuant to
- 10 section 60-3,125;
- 11 (28) Recreational vehicle license plates issued pursuant
- 12 to section 60-3,151;
- 13 (29) Repossession license plates issued pursuant to
- 14 section 60-375;
- 15 (30) Trailer license plates issued for trailers owned
- 16 or operated by the state, counties, municipalities, or school
- 17 districts issued pursuant to section 60-3,106;
- 18 (31) Trailer license plates issued pursuant to section
- 19 60-3,100;
- 20 (32) Trailers exempt pursuant to section 60-3,108;
- 21 (33) Transporter license plates issued pursuant to
- 22 section 60-378;
- 23 (34) Trucks or combinations of trucks, truck-tractors or
- 24 trailers which are not for hire and engaged in soil and water
- 25 conservation work and used for the purpose of transporting pipe and
- 26 equipment exclusively used by such contractors for soil and water
- 27 conservation construction license plates issued pursuant to section

- 1 60-3,149;
- 2 (35) Utility trailer license plates issued pursuant to
- 3 section 60-3,151; and
- 4 (36) Well-boring apparatus and well-servicing equipment
- 5 license plates issued pursuant to section 60-3,109.
- 6 Sec. 23. Section 60-3,130, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 7 2005, is amended to read:
- 8 60-3,130 (1) Any person who is the owner of a historical
- 9 vehicle which is thirty or more years old at the time of
- 10 making application for registration or transfer of title may upon
- 11 application register the same as a historical vehicle upon payment
- 12 of a fee of fifty dollars for each historical vehicle and be issued
- 13 license plates of distinctive design in lieu of the usual license
- 14 plates. Such plates, in addition to the registration number, shall
- 15 display the words historical and Nebraska for identification. The
- 16 registration shall be valid while the historical vehicle is owned
- 17 by the applicant without the payment of any additional fee, tax, or
- 18 license.
- 19 (2) In addition to the fee specified in subsection (1)
- 20 of this section, there shall be an initial processing fee of ten
- 21 dollars to defray the costs of issuing the first license plate to
- 22 each collector and to establish a distinct license plate number for
- 23 each collector.
- 24 (3) (1) Except as provided in section 60-3,134, a person
- 25 presenting a certificate of title issued pursuant to section 6 or 7
- 26 of this act or a certificate of title indicating that the vehicle
- 27 is thirty or more years old may apply for historical license plates

1 or may use license plates of the year of manufacture in lieu of

- 2 regular license plates as provided in sections 60-3,130 to 60-3,134
- 3 and sections 24 to 30 of this act.
- 4 (2) Each collector applying for registration under this
- 5 section such license plates, other than a nonprofit organization
- 6 described in sections 21-608 and 21-609, must own and have
- 7 registered one or more motor vehicles with regular license plates
- 8 which he or she uses for regular transportation.
- 9 (4) A collector, upon selling or otherwise relinquishing
- 10 ownership of a historical vehicle, may have its registration and
- 11 license plate transferred to another historical vehicle of the
- 12 same category in his or her possession upon payment of a fee of
- 13 twenty-five dollars.
- 14 (5) (3) A motor vehicle or trailer manufactured,
- 15 assembled from a kit, or otherwise assembled as a reproduction
- 16 or facsimile of a historical vehicle shall not be eligible for
- 17 registration under this section historical license plates unless
- 18 it has been in existence for thirty years or more. The age of
- 19 the motor vehicle or trailer shall be calculated from the year
- 20 reflected on the certificate of title.
- 21 (6) Collectors who, on August 24, 1975, have motor
- 22 vehicles registered and licensed as antique vehicles shall be
- 23 permitted to retain such registration and license if the collector
- 24 submits an affidavit to the department sworn to by the antique
- 25 vehicle owner that the antique vehicle is being collected,
- 26 preserved, restored, and maintained as a hobby and not for the
- 27 general use of the antique vehicle.

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(7)(a) An owner of a historical vehicle eligible for registration under this section may use a license plate or plates issued by this state in the year corresponding to the model year date when the historical vehicle was manufactured in lieu of the license plates issued pursuant to subsection (1) of this section subject to the approval of the department. The department shall inspect the license plate or plates and may approve the license plate or plates if it is determined that the model year date license plate or plates are legible and serviceable and that the license plate numbers do not conflict with or duplicate other numbers assigned and in use. An original-issued license plate or plates that have been restored to original condition may be used when approved by the department.

(b) The department may consult with an organization of old car hobbyists in determining whether the date of the year of the license plate or plates to be used corresponds to the model year date when the historical vehicle was manufactured.

(c) If only one license plate is used on the historical vehicle, the license plate shall be placed on the rear of the vehicle. The owner of a historical vehicle may use only one plate on the historical vehicle even for years in which two license plates were issued for motor vehicles in general.

(d) In addition to the fees specified in subsections (1) and (2) of this section, the department shall charge and collect a fee of twenty-five dollars for registration under this subsection.

The registration shall be valid while the historical vehicle is owned by the applicant without the payment of any additional fee,

- 1 tax, or license.
- 2 (8) The department may adopt and promulgate rules and
 3 regulations to implement this section.
- 4 (9) The application for registration of a historical 5 vehicle shall be made on a form prescribed and issued by the 6 department. Such form shall contain a description of the historical 7 vehicle owned and sought to be registered, including the make, body 8 type, model, serial number, and year of manufacture. It shall also 9 include a description of any motor vehicle owned by the applicant 10 and registered by him or her with regular license plates and 11 used for regular transportation, which description shall include 12 make, body type, model, serial number, year of manufacture, and 13 the Nebraska license plate number assigned to the motor vehicle. 14 The application shall also include an affidavit sworn to by the 15 historical vehicle owner that the historical vehicle is being 16 collected, preserved, restored, and maintained by the applicant as 17 a hobby and not for the general use of the historical vehicle for the same purposes and under the same circumstances as other motor 18 19 vehicles of the same type.
- 20 Sec. 24. The application under section 60-3,130 shall be 21 made on a form prescribed and furnished by the department. The 22 form shall contain (1) a description of the vehicle owned and 23 sought to be registered, including the make, body type, model, 24 vehicle identification number, and year of manufacture, (2) a 25 description of any vehicle owned by the applicant and registered 26 by him or her with regular license plates and used for regular 27 transportation, which description shall include make, body type,

1 model, vehicle identification number, year of manufacture, and the

- 2 Nebraska registration number assigned to the vehicle, and (3) an
- 3 affidavit sworn to by the vehicle owner that the historical vehicle
- 4 is being collected, preserved, restored, and maintained by the
- 5 applicant as a hobby and not for the general use of the vehicle for
- 6 the same purposes and under the same circumstances as other motor
- 7 vehicles of the same type.
- 8 Sec. 25. (1) An initial processing fee of ten dollars
- 9 shall be submitted with an application under section 60-3,130 to
- 10 defray the costs of issuing the first plate to each collector and
- 11 to establish a distinct identification number for each collector. A
- 12 fee of fifty dollars for each vehicle so registered shall also be
- 13 submitted with the application.
- 14 (2) For use of license plates as provided in section 27
- of this act, a fee of twenty-five dollars shall be submitted with
- 16 the application in addition to the fees specified in subsection (1)
- 17 of this section.
- 18 (3) The fees shall be remitted to the State Treasurer for
- 19 <u>credit to the Highway Trust Fund.</u>
- 20 Sec. 26. The department shall design historical license
- 21 plates with a distinctive design which, in addition to the
- 22 identification number, includes the words historical and Nebraska
- 23 for identification. The department may adopt and promulgate rules
- 24 and regulations to implement sections 60-3,130 to 60-3,134 and
- 25 sections 24 to 30 of this act.
- 26 Sec. 27. (1) An owner of a historical vehicle eligible
- 27 for registration under section 60-3,130 may use a license plate

or plates designed by this state in the year corresponding to the model year when the vehicle was manufactured in lieu of the plates

- 3 <u>designed pursuant to section 26 of this act subject to the approval</u>
- 4 of the department. The department shall inspect the plate or plates
- 5 and may approve the plate or plates if it is determined that the
- 6 model-year license plate or plates are legible and serviceable and
- 7 that the license plate numbers do not conflict with or duplicate
- 8 other numbers assigned and in use. An original-issued license plate
- 9 or plates that have been restored to original condition may be used
- when approved by the department.
- 11 (2) The department may consult with a recognized car club
- 12 in determining whether the year of the license plate or plates
- 13 to be used corresponds to the model year when the vehicle was
- 14 <u>manufactured</u>.
- 15 (3) If only one license plate is used on the vehicle, the
- 16 license plate shall be placed on the rear of the vehicle. The owner
- 17 of a historical vehicle may use only one plate on the vehicle even
- 18 for years in which two license plates were issued for vehicles in
- 19 general.
- 20 Sec. 28. <u>License plates issued or used pursuant to</u>
- 21 section 60-3,130 or section 27 of this act shall be valid while
- 22 the vehicle is owned by the applicant without the payment of any
- 23 <u>additional fee, tax, or license.</u>
- 24 Sec. 29. A collector, upon loss of possession of a
- 25 historical vehicle registered pursuant to section 60-3,130, may
- 26 have the registration and license plate transferred to another
- 27 <u>vehicle</u> in his or her possession, which is eligible for such

1 registration, upon payment of a fee of twenty-five dollars. The fee

- 2 shall be remitted to the State Treasurer for credit to the Highway
- 3 Trust Fund.
- Sec. 30. Collectors who, on August 24, 1975, had vehicles
- 5 registered and licensed as historical vehicles shall be permitted
- 6 to retain such registration and license if the collector submits an
- 7 affidavit to the department sworn to by the vehicle owner that the
- 8 vehicle is being collected, preserved, restored, and maintained as
- 9 a hobby and not for the general use of the vehicle.
- 10 Sec. 31. Section 60-3,131, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 11 2005, is amended to read:
- 12 60-3,131 (1) Historical vehicles may be used for hobby
- 13 pursuits but shall not be used for the same purposes and under the
- 14 same conditions as other motor vehicles or trailers of the same
- 15 type, and under ordinary circumstances, such historical vehicles
- 16 shall not be used to transport passengers for hire. At special
- 17 events that are sponsored or in which participation is by organized
- 18 clubs, such historical vehicles may transport passengers for hire
- 19 only if any money received is to be used for club activities or be
- 20 donated to a charitable nonprofit organization.
- 21 (2) Trucks of such classification registered as
- 22 <u>historical vehicles</u> may not haul material weighing more than one
- 23 thousand pounds or be used regularly in a business or occupation
- 24 in lieu of other motor vehicles or trailers with regular license
- 25 plates.
- 26 (3) Any such historical vehicle shall not be used for
- 27 business or occupation or regularly for transportation to and from

1 work, and may be driven on the public streets and roads only

- 2 for servicing, test drives, public displays, parades, and related
- 3 pleasure or hobby activities.
- 4 Sec. 32. Section 60-3,132, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 5 2005, is amended to read:
- 6 60-3,132 Subject to land-use regulations of a county
- 7 or municipality, a collector may store any motor vehicles, or
- 8 trailers, or parts vehicles, licensed or unlicensed, operable
- 9 or inoperable, on his or her property if such motor vehicles,
- 10 trailers, and parts vehicles and any outdoor storage areas are
- 11 maintained in such a manner that they do not constitute a health
- 12 hazard, and if the motor vehicles, Θ trailers, and parts vehicles
- 13 are located away from ordinary public view or are screened from
- 14 ordinary public view by means of a fence, rapidly growing trees,
- 15 shrubbery, opaque covering, or other appropriate means.
- Sec. 33. Section 60-3,133, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 17 2005, is amended to read:
- 18 60-3,133 (1) Unless the presence of equipment
- 19 specifically named by Nebraska law was a prior condition for
- 20 legal sale within Nebraska at the time the a specific model of
- 21 historical vehicle was manufactured for first use, the presence of
- 22 such equipment shall not be required as a condition for current
- 23 legal use of any such model of historical vehicle as authorized
- 24 in section 60-3,131.
- 25 (2) Any historical vehicle manufactured prior to the date
- 26 emission controls were standard equipment on that particular make
- 27 or model of historical vehicle is exempted from statutes requiring

- 1 the inspection and use of such emission controls.
- 2 (3) Any safety equipment that was manufactured as part
- 3 of the historical vehicle's original equipment must be in proper
- 4 operating condition.
- 5 Sec. 34. Section 60-3,175, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 6 2005, is amended to read:
- 7 60-3,175 It shall be unlawful to own or operate a motor
- 8 vehicle or trailer with historical license plates in violation of
- 9 section 60-3,130, 60-3,131, or 60-3,134. Upon $_{7}$ and upon conviction
- 10 of a violation of any provision of such sections, such a person
- 11 shall be guilty of a Class V misdemeanor.
- 12 Sec. 35. Original sections 60-101, 60-117, 60-139,
- 13 60-140, 60-142 to 60-144, 60-148, 60-149, 60-154, 60-159, 60-301,
- 14 60-333, 60-362, 60-3,104, 60-3,130 to 60-3,133, and 60-3,175,
- 15 Revised Statutes Supplement, 2005, are repealed.